

**SEMINOLE COUNTY
PARKS & PRESERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
NATURAL LANDS SUBCOMMITTEE
MINUTES OF MEETING December 14, 2011**

ATTENDANCE:

Members:

Tom Boyko, Mark Brandenburg, Barbara Whittier
Trish Walden

Staff:

Jim Duby, Sherry Williams
Bryan Nipe

Guests:

Terry Kuhnhausen, property owner

LOCATION:

Geneva Wilderness Area

TIME:

8:00 a.m.

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 a.m. and the minutes for October 2011 were approved.

NEW BUSINESS:

The committee reviewed NL application and related maps for the Kuhnhausen parcel located in Geneva along the Flagler Trail. The group then departed to meet the property owner on site. The group met with Mr. Kuhnhausen on site and walked the area bordering the Flagler trail and the east and part of the north boundary. The site was predominately Bayhead and wet Pine Flatwoods habitat. The committee then traveled back to the Nature Center to complete the ranking process. The final ranking score was 22.5 and the committee concurred that they would not recommend pursuing acquisition of this site.

The committee also entertained the possible modification of ranking criteria and after much discussion decided it was best to leave them as is for now. It was discussed that after or as part of the Master Planning process, new criteria may be developed to address Parks, Trails and Natural Lands.

OLD BUSINESS:

None.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:15 a.m.